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1. On approximately 3 June one Soviet Army division stationed in the vicinity of the borders of Bulgaria, Rumania and Hungary was transported across Yugoslavia to Albania to an area east of Shkoder. The Greek-Yugoslav border was closed in this area.
2. Albanian units took up positions in the vicinity of Jakova-Prizen-Dibra.
3. Two groups of Soviet pursuit planes arrived from Bucharest and Budapest in Albania.
4. Two battalions of Albania People's Militia were brought to Tirana from Gjinokaster about the same time.

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